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THE CONVENTION.

The Silver Men Win a Great Victory.

BLAND AND STONE HAPPY.

Judge Black Nominated for Judge of the Supreme Court and Carrington for Superintendent of Schools.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 16.—After a fight lasting from 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon until 12 o'clock last night, and waged with great bitterness, the committee appointed by the democratic state convention assembled at the Auditorium, submitted two reports. One, signed by all but four members of the committee, declared for a restoration of the silver coinage laws prior to 1873. The minority report endorsed the platform adopted at Chicago in 1892.

Shortly after midnight the fight was removed from the committee room at the Coates house to the convention hall. At 2:15 o'clock the convention adjourned, without adopting either report.

During the early part of the evening Francis M. Black was nominated for supreme judge by acclamation and W. T. Carrington was named as the democratic candidate for superintendent of schools on the first ballot.

Save for the heat it was an enjoyable day, alike for visitors and delegates. While there were no genuine sensations the convention was never uninteresting. From the time when Temporary Chairman Trimble said, "We are not here to create presidential possibilities; not here to frame a platform for the nation," thus sounding defiance to Bland and the ultra silver men, until the close of the night session every man was on the qui vive.

The nearest approach to a sensation occurred when Major Henry Newman mentioned the name of Grover Cleveland. Twice there were indications of ill feeling, but this soon passed off.

Of course the great interest of the day was centered in the committee platform and resolutions and its reports. The three offices the convention had to fill would never have attracted anything like the attendance that came from every section of the state expressly to influence the party voice on national questions.

Everybody knew that the silver question was going to be introduced in some way in the convention's deliberations, and the two great divisions of bimetalists had marshaled each its utmost strength to maintain its own views. The administration men, or conservatives, under the lead of ex-Governor Francis were prepared to insist that the convention should simply reiterate the national platform of 1892, and leave the future treatment of the problem to congress and future national conventions.

Opposed to them were the straight-out free coinage advocates, under Congressman Bland and Governor Stone. These last wanted an explicit demand made for free and unlimited coinage of silver dollars at the ratio of sixteen to one, according to the law prior to 1873.

The two factions seemed very equally divided, and the contest for supremacy began the first thing in the morning and continued all day long. The first notes of discord were sounded in the district caucuses at 9:30 a. m.

The selection of representatives for the committee on platform and resolutions started the clashing, and it never stopped till the committee finally decided upon its report at nearly 11:30 at night.

COMMITTEE ON PLATFORM.

The committee on platform as finally selected was as follows:

First District—E. R. McKee of Scotland.

Second—E. M. Harber of Grundy.

Third—E. C. Hall of Clinton.

Fourth—John W. Coats of Platte.

Fifth—F. G. Johnson of Kansas City.

Sixth—J. W. Suddath of Johnson.

Seventh—O. H. Travers of Greene.

Eighth—Richard P. Bland of Laclede.

Ninth—T. F. McDearmon of St. Charles.

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Tenth—Edward C. Kehr of St. Louis.
Eleventh—David R. Francis of St. Louis.
Twelfth—R. Graham Frost of St. Louis.
Thirteenth—M. R. Smith of St. Francis.
Fourteenth—W. J. Orr of Howell.
Fifteenth—W. J. Stone of Vernon.

TRIALS OF STRENGTH.

In the caucuses the first trial of strength was made and from the results they gave out it was apparent all day that the free silver men were to be finally on top, unless their own ideas of policy and fairness induced them to recognize the rights of the minority.

The first trial of strength between the two factions came on the question of the chairmanship. Mr. Bland and Mr. Harber were candidates, and the former was chosen by a vote of 9 to 6, the nine being McKee, Johnson, Suddath, Bland, McDearmon, Smith, Orr, Stone and Grosvenor.

R. G. Frost was chosen secretary and the committee at once proceeded to the business in hand, of which there proved to be plenty. Chairman Bland had brought a type-written set of resolutions with him and introduced it at once. Among the articles was, of course, the inevitable proposition to restore the silver laws to the conditions existing prior to 1873.

This provoked endless discussion, amendment after amendment being suggested by the Francis men, who would not give in. They gained a convert, too, in Grosvenor, and the votes were invariably 8 to 7.

The majority and minority reports were finally presented to the convention and at 2:15 o'clock this morning the convention adjourned until 10 o'clock.

The A. P. A. Denounced.

One of the resolutions of the majority report, as follows, expresses the contempt felt by the democratic party for the American Protective association, a secret organization which has allied itself with the republican party in many parts of the country:

"The Democracy of Missouri has learned of the unwarrantable endeavors on the part of would-be political leaders to create a strife and discord within the ranks of the Democratic party by attempting to arraign one class of voters against another, on account of their religious faith. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the grand old democratic party, whose conservatism is preservative of national honor, tranquility and peace, the party of the people, and the enemy of oppression and tyranny in every form, does hereby unequivocally and emphatically denounce and condemn such conduct as un-American, un-democratic and unlawful.

Resolved, That the democracy pledge its best efforts to defeat the unholy purposes of such men, and to protect every individual of every nationality, religious creed and political belief, in his sacred right to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience."

Today's Session.

Special to the DEMOCRAT.

KANSAS CITY, May 16.—At 10:40 a. m. the convention was called to order by Governor Stone. The report of the committee on resolutions was brought upon a motion to reconsider the vote by which the previous question was ordered last night. This motion was lost and the question came up on the adoption or rejection of Francis' substitute for the minority report. The substitute is for the free and unlimited coinage of silver without a ratio being fixed. The amendment was carried by a vote of 287 to 236.

The minority report as amended was defeated by a vote of 187½ to 345½. The majority report was adopted as presented by Bland. The vote stood 423 to 109. The

result is a big victory for the silver men.

The candidate for railroad commissioner will be nominated this afternoon.

Railroad Commissioner.


Special to the DEMOCRAT.
KANSAS CITY, May 16, 2:30 p. m.—First ballot for railroad commissioner just closed. Hennesy leads with 87 votes; Finks, 68, Lingle, 43, and balance well divided with other candidates.

A Newspaper Thief.

John Crow, a 12-year-old colored boy, was brought to the DEMOCRAT office this morning by Officer Jas. Englebrecht. Crow was under suspicion of having been engaged for several Sundays in stealing copies of the DEMOCRAT and Gazette from the residences of subscribers. He admitted to the business manager of the DEMOCRAT that one Sunday he stole a few copies of newspapers and sold them, and, on his promise not to continue his thieving, he was not prosecuted.

A Chrysanthemum Fair.

The DEMOCRAT acknowledges the receipt of the premium list of the third annual Chrysanthemum fair to be held at Nevada, Mo., November 14, 15, 16 and 17, under the auspices of the Epworth league of

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A Good Time.

Tomorrow evening the ladies committee will conduct a social at the Young Men's Christian association. There will be an exceedingly interesting, but brief programme, after which light refreshments will be served.

The one thing desired is a good time. A special welcome is extended to young men, either with or without their lady friends.

Died of Measles.

The 2-year-old daughter of John Riley, a baker in the employ of Stallard's bakery, died last night of measles, at the home of her parents on East Third street, in East Sedalia. The funeral was held this afternoon.

CAR REPAIR YARDS.

The Missouri Pacific Making Improvements.

EXTENSIVE CAR SHOPS.

Plans for Their Erection Under Consideration and Likely to Be Adopted at an Early Date.

As predicted by the DEMOCRAT several weeks ago, the Missouri Pacific Railway company is making arrangements for extensive improvements in this city. Freight car repair yards are to be established, and, if the proposed plans are approved by the directors of the road, extensive repair shops will be erected in East Sedalia.

The freight car repair yards have been located south of round house No. 1, at a point known as the swamp. This frog pond is now being filled up, and heavy timbers for the construction of a turn-table have arrived. Radiating from the turn-table, in the center of the yards, will be twenty-two short tracks, each with a capacity of from two to three cars. Around these tracks a belt line will be built for hand-cars used in the transportation of material for making repairs.

Eventually the yards will be placed under cover, and the roof will be of a self-supporting design. The plans for repair shops on an elaborate scale have been made, and if approved, their construction will mean much for Sedalia. The shops will give employment to between one and two hundred skilled

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THE SEDALIA HOSPITAL.

A Site Selected and Work Upon the Buildings to Begin Soon.

The members of the Sedalia Hospital association held an interesting meeting last night in the ladies room at the Sedalia library, and it was decided to commence at once the erection of the hospital building.

The site for the building which was selected are two lots on the south side of Broadway, near Hancock avenue, which were generously donated to the association by Messrs. Smith and Cotton.

Plans for the hospital were submitted last night by Architect Epperson, and they were freely discussed. Final action upon them will be taken at a meeting of the association to be held next Tuesday evening. As soon as the plans are agreed upon contracts for erecting the buildings will be let and work upon them will be commenced at once.

A DWELLING BURNED.

The Residence of Engineer, Ed. Adams Destroyed by Fire.

At 10:30 o'clock last night the story and a half frame building at the corner of Seventh and Osage streets, owned by Alexander Blair and occupied by Edward Adams, a Missouri Pacific engineer, was discovered in flames.

Just before the fire was noticed, an explosion was heard by persons living in the vicinity of the Adams' home, and a few moments later tongues of fire were seen to leap through the windows in the upper part of the house. No one was present in the building when the fire broke out, Mrs. Adams and children being at the Union depot to meet her husband at the end of his run from Kansas City, and the conflagration is attributed to the work of an incendiary.

An alarm was turned in from the residence of E. B. Burrowes and the fire department quickly responded, but the flames had gained headway so rapidly that it was impossible for the firemen to save the building from destruction. Mr. Adams' loss on furniture is estimated at \$1,000, which is offset by \$700 insurance. The building was partially insured through the Richardson Agency.

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A SWINDLER CAUGHT

New Dodge to Secure Free Tobacco Nipped in the Bud.

TAGS POORLY IMITATED.

The Scheme Was a Good One But it Failed to Work on the First Trial.

Yesterday evening a well known young Sedalian was caught red-handed in Kingsbaker's cigar store trying to procure a plug of tobacco by offering counterfeit tin tags in payment. He admitted his guilt and charged another young man with making the counterfeits.

The manufacturers of a well known plug tobacco are introducing a novel way of advertising their goods. Retail dealers hand purchasers of chewing tobacco one of Blank & Co's. cards, upon which is printed the offer to give a free plug of tobacco to any one who will return the card to a retail dealer, with ten tin tags of a particular brand fastened upon that particular piece of cardboard. Therefore in order to secure one free plug one has to buy ten plugs in order to secure the requisite number of tags.

A couple of young fellows, who reside east of the M., K. & T. railway tracks, saw a short route to free chewing tobacco and they rigged up a die and went into the counterfeiting business. One of them undertook to shove the "queer" and last evening he stepped into Sol Kingsbaker's cigar store, on Ohio street, and called for a plug of tobacco. It was handed to him and he threw down in payment one of Blank & Co's. cards upon which ten of the counterfeit tags were fastened. The fraud was discovered at a glance and the shaver of the "queer" admitted his complicity in the transaction and squealed on his confederate. The young men were fortunate in escaping immediate prosecution. The facts in the case have been sent to Blank & Co. and they may see fit to make an example of the young counterfeiters.

Severely Injured.

James Hudson, a brother of Mrs. Hiram Lewis, of this city, employed as a bridge carpenter on the Missouri Pacific, severely cut his foot with an adze yesterday at Independence. He was taken to the company's hospital in Kansas City.

THOS. MULLALLY DEAD.

An Old and Respected Resident of Georgetown a Victim of Pneumonia.

Thos. Mullally, for the past ten years foreman of the Georgetown section of the Lexington branch of the Missouri Pacific railroad, aged 51 years, died yesterday at his home in Georgetown, after a short illness with pneumonia, leaving a wife, four sons and two daughters.

Thomas Mullally was born in West Meath, Ireland, and came to this country a number of years ago. He was a member of the Knights of Father Mathew and of East Sedalia lodge No. 170, A. O. U. W. The funeral was held at St. Vincent de Paul's Catholic church at 10 o'clock this forenoon and the interment was in charge of the Knights of Father Mathew.

Admitted to the Bar.

William F. Wyatt was examined in the circuit court yesterday and admitted to practice law.

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Ham, per lb.	.11½
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THERE is no such thing as a paid for criticism, but there is such a thing as a purchased puff.

THE commonwealers are giving their chosen names of "industrial" a bad odor when they steal railroad trains.

THE work of laying the foundation for the West Fifth street pavement is progressing at the rate of one block in two days.

If the senate would devote the same energy to legislation that it does to draw poker the tariff bill would be passed by 5 o'clock this afternoon.

THE poor old Gazette has commenced to swear. This reminds one of the old saying about "those whom the gods would destroy, they first make mad."

DR. TALMAGE and his congregation will have the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of their church. The eloquent divine has now been thrice baptised by fire.

A BOY may look better with clean hands and with a big stiff white collar around his neck, but it is doubtful if he feels half so good as in his normal state of dirt and dilapidation.

It's strange, but true, that a man with an unusual name, such as Valinodasky, in registering at a hotel will make an unintelligible scrawl, while "Smith" will register in Spencerian copper plate.

A "SMASHER" is South Amboy, N. J., thought he had fallen upon against the pitcher of the local ball nine when he attempted on Saturday night to kiss Miss Hattie Frazer, of that town. It has since been explained to him that she is one of the best boxers in that place.

THE reduction of the Russian army by the mustering out of 20,000 soldiers this summer ought to give that country a boom, reducing as it does, the ranks of the burdensome non-producers and increasing in like measure the number of producers. But if there are any Coxseys or other cranks of like caliber in the czar's dominions, we shall probably hear of their denouncing the government for increasing competition in the ranks of the unemployed.

FROM the fact that the spirit of gambling has so firm a hold upon the military circles of Europe, it is suggested that a peaceful settlement of all international differences might be secured by having a grand tournament of freeze-out, the winners to have what they demand in matters of state. Such a battle with the mimic kings and queens and knaves would permit the disbandment of the great armies sustained with the paradoxical claim that they are necessary to keep the peace.

ACCORDING to the records of the steamship agencies there is no general scarcity of money among the people of the west and northwest. The bookings for European passages are heavier than ever before, and the demand for foreign exchange and letters of credit shows no falling off. Other indications, too, point to the fact that the much talked of distress is not nearly so widespread as is generally believed. The truth appears to be that the hard times are most severely felt by the "protected" wage workers. They have been depending upon a system which utterly fails to protect them in the hour of need. So long

as general business is good the protected industries share in the prosperity, but when an era of depression sets in they are the first to collapse, and the last to recover. Other industries, which have to rely upon their own merits, usually contrive to struggle through periods of dullness and hard times after a fashion, but the manufacturer who is notified and hemmed in by high protective duties almost invariably finds it necessary to shut up shop early in the struggle. That has been shown in all former seasons of business depression. It is being just as clearly demonstrated now.

WORK IN THE SOUTH.

While the armies of the "unemployed" were making their way from all directions to Washington, raising the cry that they must be afforded the means of a livelihood, there was a convention of planters assembled at Greenville, Miss., trying to devise ways and means for getting farm laborers from Europe. They want hands and stand ready to welcome them from any part of the union; but they cannot get them. A dispatch reporting the doings of the convention, says that if Coxey's army wants work it can find plenty of it in the lower Mississippi valley. The south gives employment to all its own people and offers work to the idle of all sections.

This anomalous condition of affairs points a moral which should not be overlooked. In one part of the country men are marching under the banners of paternalism demanding that the government take care of them. In another the full resources of production cannot be drawn upon because the necessary labor is not to be obtained. The statesman and the philanthropist are wrestling with the problem of employing the idle now within our borders and the planters of the south are appealing to Europe for men to help raise cotton, tobacco and sugar-cane. Tens of thousands are idle, and yet one of the most productive sections of the union is asking in vain for men to till the soil.

The fault lies in the unwarranted stimulation of our industrial interests. Our development has been lop-sided and the equilibrium must be restored before the healthiest and most prosperous conditions can be hoped for. The great manufacturing centers are suffering from congestion. Our great cities are crowded with men attracted by an artificial prosperity and now suffering from violent reaction. The result is more labor in these localities than can possibly be employed. When utilized to the full it is productive beyond the demands of the market, the inevitable consequence being the lowering of wages, the dismissal of men and not infrequently the closing of factories. This is a story of folly and disaster that will continue to repeat itself until there is a compliance with the reasonable laws of trade and an adjustment in accordance with the supply and demand in the labor market. Meantime there is an inviting opening in the south for those who prefer work to idleness. The surplus labor of the great cities must in the end find its employment on the farms and plantations.

A GHASTLY CLEW.

A Bloody Hand Found By a Sheriff at Dallas, Texas.

DALLAS, Texas, May 16.—L. E. Williams and wife, a middle-aged English couple, have for three years occupied the two-story building on the south side of McKinney avenue, just east of Harwood street, using the first floor as a furniture and upholstery repair shop and the second as a dwelling. They got drunk and fought.

Last Wednesday Mrs. Williams was missing, and her husband explained to his customers and neighbors that she had gone off on a trip. But some of the neighbors suspected foul play and notified Sheriff Cabell. This morning Sheriff Cabell called and found Williams at work in his shop. To his inquiry as to the whereabouts of his wife, Williams made the same reply—that she had gone on a trip.

Finally Sheriff Cabell went up stairs and found the room all torn up, the pillows, bed and floor covered with blood, and a hand all bloody and covered with hair. The window sill on the east side was also sprinkled with blood. Just under the window Sheriff Cabell thought he could see where the ground had recently been dug up.

Williams and a negro named Dick Johnson, who hangs about the place, were arrested.

HOMELESS BY FIRE.

Five Hundred Families Burned Out In Boston—Loss \$1,000,000.

BOSTON, Mass., May 16.—Some little Roxbury boys set themselves up as rivals to Mrs. O'Leary's cow on the base ball grounds yesterday afternoon, and as a result Boston was visited by one of the biggest fires since Thanksgiving, 1892, and a conflagration covering a greater area than any since the memorable one of 1872.

Down in the extreme right field the base ball grounds are located what are known as the 25-cent seats. Underneath the seats the boys were playing, and in a spirit of childish fun one of them touched a match to a pile of rubbish gathered there.

That was about 4 o'clock. A moment afterward the blaze had spread to such an extent that the boys became frightened at the unexpected result of their folly, and ran away.

After five or ten minutes of un-availing work some one suggested calling the fire department, but long before the fireman arrived the blaze was over the fence—but not out.

On the contrary, aided and abetted by a strong southeast wind, it attacked the wooden dwelling-houses adjoining the base ball grounds and fronting on Burke and Benton streets.

The fire was started at 4 p. m., and was under control at 8 o'clock. About 150 dwellings, besides the grand stand, base ball grounds, Walpole street school house, house of ladder 12 and hose 7 were burned to the ground. Five hundred families were burned out and are homeless. Six firemen were injured. The loss exceeds \$1,000,000.

HANGED TO AN OAK.

Swift Vengeance Meted Out to a Negro Ravisher.

OCALA, Fla., May 16.—Sunday night's horrible crime at South Lake has been avenged. At 8 o'clock yesterday morning the negro fiend, Nero Young, who criminally assaulted Miss Lizzie Helm, at Weirsdale Monday morning, was taken from the county jail at this place by a mob of angry citizens and was hanged in front of the jail door to a limb of a large oak tree.

The mob began to gather in the vicinity of the jail at daylight, and by 8 o'clock it numbered 800 determined citizens, who were well armed and thoroughly aroused by the fiendish crime. The jail was strongly guarded, as threats had been made ever since yesterday morning that the negro would be lynched. Sheriff Hodge and his deputies stood ready to defend their prisoner, but when the mob made a rush for the jail they gave way, as they knew it would be useless and only cause bloodshed to resist the attack.

Once in the jail the mob broke in the door of Young's cell with a sledge hammer and dragged him out into the corridor, where the rope was quickly put around his neck. He was then dragged into the street and under a tree, where the rope was thrown over a limb, and quickly and silently he was jerked off his feet by dozens of stout arms at the other end of the rope. His body was pulled several feet from the ground, and the rope was tied to another tree and the crowd immediately dispersed.

Lillian's Unhappy Marriage.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Lillian Russell's third marriage, like the two which preceded it, has proved a failure. She has parted company with Sig. Perugini, or John Chatterton, as he is known at his home in England, and husband and wife have agreed to separate permanently.

Sig. Perugini will return to Europe in June, and the chances are he will never come back to the United States. Miss Russell will continue her operatic career as heretofore. The causes which led to the separation are said to have been incompatibility of temperament and resultant quarrels. Miss Russell is residing temporarily with her mother, Mrs. Cynthia Leonard.

Shot While at Play.

NEVADA, Mo., May 16.—Yesterday afternoon the little 3-year-old son of Peter McDonald, electrician at the electric light works, was found lying in his father's yard with his brains oozing from a hole in his forehead. He had been accidentally shot while at play by some boys who were practicing with a target rifle in the road. A thick hedge between the yard and the road shut out the little fellow from view. He died soon after being found by his mother.

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County Judge.

WE are authorized to announce W. B. HIGGINS of Flat Creek township, as a candidate for Judge of the County Court from the Western district, subject to the democratic primary.

Assessor.

WE are authorized to announce W. D. WILSON a candidate for county assessor, subject to the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce M. H. HENNINGER a candidate for County Assessor, subject to the democratic primary.

County Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce ROBERT H. GRAY a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce FINIS S. ARNOLD a candidate for county clerk, subject to the democratic primary.

Circuit Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce R. E. GUTHRIE of Linn township, as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce E. R. MARVIN as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the office of Circuit Clerk of Pettis county.

County Recorder.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY Y. FIELD of Longwood township, as a candidate for recorder of Pettis county, subject to the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce J. H. PILKINGTON a candidate for recorder of deeds, subject to the democratic primary.

County Treasurer.

WE are authorized to announce E. F. SCOTT of Hughesville township, as a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce ROBERT E. PERKINS of Bowling Green township, as a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES G. PERDUE a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the democratic primary.

County Collector.

WE are authorized to announce W. Z. BAUM of Sedalia, Pettis county, as a candidate for county collector, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce W. F. HANSBERGER a candidate for county collector, subject to the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce J. M. DERRILL of Washington township, as a candidate for county collector, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN E. RICHMOND a candidate for county collector, subject to the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce P. H. GRACE as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the democratic primary.

WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL J. WEATHERS of Houstonia township, as a candidate for county collector subject to the democratic primary.

B. P. O. E.

Regular communication tonight. Installation of officers. After installation, "Stag Social." All members requested to be present.

E. F. VANCEY, E. R. C. S. CONRAD, Sec'y.

Lowrey's World's Fair
Sample package chocolate creams
10 cents, at the Candy Palace, 501
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For The Skin. Scalp. And Complexion.

The result of 20 years' practical experience treating the skin.

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I have concluded to make sale of the mill grounds, consisting of two acres, as a whole or in part, dividing north from the Missouri Pacific railway, together with the mill and elevator—this ought to be a valuable manufacturing location—or I would make sale of the buildings to be removed off the grounds. The material consists of 235 perches of stone, 70 M brick, 5 M ft. dimension oak, 10 M ft. dimension pine, and 12 M ft. flooring, siding and board, may be more, at one-half the price of new, or would entertain a bid.

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Also will rent or sell my fine brick dwelling on the N. W. corner of Seventh and Washington streets. No incumbrance on any of this property.

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LeGrande, Lamine St.

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Hotel Fire at Hannibal.

The Craft Hotel, one of the most fashionable boarding houses in Hannibal, was badly damaged by fire at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fire originated in the kitchen, where the cook stepped on a match which ignited some gasoline that had been spilled on the floor. Carrie Smith, a domestic, was badly burned on the arm. The contents of the house were ruined by fire, smoke and water. The damage to the building is \$4,000.

Grand Railroad Excursion.

Sedalia to Kansas City, Sunday, May 20th '94, via. Mo. Pac. R'y., round trip tickets \$1.50, only \$1.50. The attractions are a game of base ball between Kansas City and Toledo clubs of the Western league. A special train will leave Sedalia at 7:45 a. m. Returning train leave Kansas City 7:45 p. m. Tickets on sale at depot.

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G. P. A., Mo. Pac. R'y.,
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RAILROAD RUMBLE.

American Railway Union's Effort to Help the Pullman Strike.

MRS. BERRY GOT DAMAGES

Items of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of "Democrat" Readers.

Unless the American Railway Union can raise money, and a good deal of it, there is going to be suffering down at Pullman. The strikers, who have been working only half time or at greatly reduced wages, have no funds in reserve, and the storekeepers, as a matter of precaution, have stopped giving credit. House rent, too, will have to be paid, and altogether the outlook is far from cheerful. One of the leaders of the strikers is quoted as saying that the good people of Chicago and other towns will come to the rescue with liberal subscriptions. Perhaps they may, but experience does not warrant any such expectation. The general public takes but a languid and temporary interest in strikes and is very chary of giving money in aid of such movements. The strikers will have to depend for aid upon labor organizations, and especially upon the American Railway Union, with which they are affiliated. That organization will have to respond liberally if it would retain its prestige. The loss of the Pullman strike through lack of funds would more than offset the victory gained over the Great Northern railroad.

Awarded Damages.
The widow of Wm. V. Berry, an M., K. & T. engineer, who was killed in a collision between M., K. & T. and Gulf trains five years ago, recently recovered \$5,000 damages for the husband's death, from the Gulf road. The case was tried at Fort Scott four years ago and Mrs. Berry was awarded \$5,000. An appeal was taken, which resulted in the decision being affirmed. A new hearing was asked for, but denied.

Missouri and Interstate Sued.
C. V. Sidell, railroad contractor, has commenced a suit against the Missouri Pacific and Interstate Railroad for \$30,000 in the United States Circuit Court in New York city.

Mr. Sidell claims that he made a contract with the late Jay Gould to build the Interstate road in Kansas at the rate of \$10,000 a mile, and that Gould paid him only \$9,000 a mile. He sues for the difference.

Leasing Coal Land.
A great deal of coal land is being leased along the proposed M., K. & T. railroad survey near Leeton and the people in that neighborhood think the road will surely be built soon.

M., K. & T. Election.
The stockholders of the M., K. & T. held their annual election yesterday at Denison, Texas. The old board of directors were unanimously elected.

Regarding the Rail.
The railroads are capturing all the coal in sight to the exclusion of private parties.

Engineers on the north end of the Katy say they are bothered to death with stragling Coxeyites.

Charles Fleck, of the M., K. & T. auditing department, returned today from a visit with relatives at Sedalia.—Denison Herald.

During the past two weeks two dozen freight crews on the M., K. & T. out of Denison have been laid off, the result of slack business.

It has been agreed that eastern roads may take individual action in allowing home seekers' excursion rates to be quoted over their lines. Permission has just been asked from the Swiss government to build an electric railroad to the summit of the Jungfrau, one of the highest of the Alps.

Stock business is picking up on the M., K. & T., and as soon as grass cattle are ready to ship there will be the usual over demand for rolling stock.

Sydney J. Gates, formerly traveling passenger agent of the Louisville and Nashville, has been appointed general eastern agent of the Big Four at Buffalo.

Should the general coal strike continue a few weeks longer many railroads will be compelled to suspend traffic altogether for want of fuel. Even now many of the big systems find it impossible to keep

more than from two to three days' supply on hand.

Summer excursion rates to Pertle Springs went into effect yesterday. A. C. Miner, traveling passenger agent of the M., K. & T. is home from a trip over the South end of the Katy.

Superintendent H. G. Clark, of the Missouri Pacific, is in Leavenworth attending the trial of the Coxeyites, who stole a Missouri Pacific train in Colorado.

President Rouse and other M., K. & T. officials are expected to arrive here at 6 o'clock this evening in a special train from Parsons. They will continue their journey to St. Louis.

MISSOURI ODD FELLOWS.

Fifty-Sixth Annual Conclave of the Order at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., May 16.—The returns of the state lodges show the following grand officers have been elected:

Grand master, A. M. Abercrombie, St. Joseph; deputy grand master, Hugh S. Carnes, Trenton; grand secretary, E. M. Sloan.

After the election of the officers had been announced Grand Sire C. T. Campbell submitted a resolution requesting all subordinate lodges in the state that have suffered loss of membership by death to assemble on the second Tuesday in next month and engage in proper exercises in memory of the deceased members. The resolution was adopted.

Following the resolution there were submitted the reports of the grand secretary and grand representative. The report of the grand secretary showed the number of lodges to be 474; number of members, last report, 23,440; number of initiations, 3,756; admitted by card, 616; reinstated, 445; expelled, 120; deceased, 226; total loss, 1,979; present membership, 25,278. The financial statement showed the amount of revenue to be \$170,817.15; paid to relief of brothers, \$26,214.30; to relief of widowed families, \$14,778.95; relief of orphans, \$3,565.90; amount of money in treasury, \$89,345.10; amount of investments, \$769,933.35. Total amount of assets, \$859,278.45.

At the session to be held to-day the question of building an Odd Fellows' orphan home will be discussed. More than \$8,000 has been subscribed, and there are 20 towns bidding for the location. As money by subscription is coming in rather slowly, a resolution will be submitted today providing for an assessment on every member of all State lodges of the I. O. O. F. This step is looked upon with favor by only part of the delegates, and when it is introduced at the session today a lively fight will in all probability ensue.

A LOSS TO THE GALLOWES.

A Butler County Murderer Sent to the Nevada Asylum.

From the Nevada Mail.

One of the morning trains brought a small party from popular Bluffs which was calculated to attract attention. It consisted of Deputy Sheriffs John Souders and John Treese and a wild eyed man in chains whom they were conducting to asylum. The prisoner was Floyd Otey, a man about 45 years old.

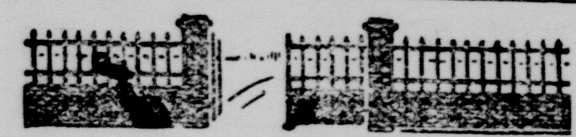
On the 16th of last November, Otey, while drinking, shot and killed a barkeeper named Coylett. The quarrel which preceded the shooting resulted from Coylett's refusal to sell Otey more whiskey, alleging that he was already drunk. The wounded man lived about thirteen hours with a bullet in his bowels.

After being arrested, the murderer began to evince symptoms of insanity. He was either a first class actor or his mental balance was really lost, as the result has shown. Four physicians were called to examine him and two of them decided him insane. The other two were in doubt. The jury which was finally called to investigate the case said he was not responsible and he was ordered sent to the asylum.

The officers who accompanied Otey to this place were disposed to doubt his insanity. They thought he was not too crazy to know that his neck was in danger. He was very violent and tore his clothes off whenever his hands were at liberty.

Sheared 700 Sheep.

John S. Woods finished shearing 700 head of sheep yesterday. He secured about 500 pounds of fine wool.



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to health and strength, if you're a nervous, delicate woman. The medicine to cure you, the tonic to build you up, is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. You can depend upon it. The makers say it will help you, or cost you nothing. They guarantee it.

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Jersey Cow for Sale.
Nice one.—620 West Second.

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For Rent.

Elegant rooms in Hurley's building on East Third street, opposite Sicher's hotel. Suitable for offices or sleeping rooms. Enquire of E. Hurley.

Stock Pasture.

I have a fine blue grass pasture for stock three miles from Sedalia. Charges reasonable. Apply at 317 West Fifth street, or telephone 81. HENRY SHAFER.

Home Seekers Excursion.

On May 8th the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway will sell tickets to all points in Texas at one fare for round trip, good to return within 30 days.

First National Bank, Sedalia, Mo.

Holders of certificates of deposit issued by this bank are requested to file them with the receiver at the earliest possible date, taking his receipt for exchange.

W. A. LATIMER, Receiver.

Iron, Lime, Alum Water—Crystal Springs, Lamonte

Recommended as most valuable by P. Schweitzer, state chemist, for sale by the gallon at

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Three large rooms, hall and front entrance with down stairs privilege, with or without barn, in the lovely residence formerly owned by Mrs. Geo. Lord. Corner of Broadway and New York avenue.

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The leading physicians of Sedalia advise that housekeepers have their featherbeds cleaned and renovated by Geo. Lut's Patent Process. There's danger in delay. Orders can be left at 110 West Second street, or telephone 168.

Miss Cranmer Defeated.

Miss Pauline Cranmer, of Otterville, who is the first woman who ever ran for office in Cooper county, was defeated in her race for county clerk Saturday. She is a very popular and estimable young lady, but the staid old democrats of Cooper could not reconcile themselves to the innovation.

Whitsett & Hammer, Lawyers.

Have their main office at room 26, Igenfritz building, Sedalia, Mo., with Albert S. Hammer, managing attorney; and also have a branch office at Higginsville, Mo., with I. W. Whitsett in charge. They do a general law practice and have special facilities for collecting claims and attending to legal business in every city and town in the United States.

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Will save you money. Gents half-soles, 50 and 65c; ladies, 45 and 65c; children half soles 35c; gents' sewed, 90c. Prices under all others. Next door to Sedalia Grocer Co., Fifth street, opposite Court house.

Reward.

\$75 reward will be paid for the return of the diamond pin taken from Mrs. Hutcheson's millinery store, Saturday, April 28. No arrests; no questions asked. Return to this office.

Liquors. Wines.

Sold by the gallon only, in jugs, kegs, cases, from half a gallon or 3 quarts on. Personal or mail orders solicited.

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Go to Forest park today and enjoy the scenery and a delightful ride.

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Go to Forest park and take your children, they will enjoy it. The cars run every half hour.

Queen City Green House.

Having determined to give up my business, I will sell my entire stock of green house and bedding plants of all description, tomatoes and cabbage plants, all green house sash, glass, wire designs, flower pots, &c. Positively everything will be sold out to quit the business.

Yours respectfully,
JAMES JENKINS,
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Prof. Neil.

government chemist, writes: I have carefully analyzed your "Royal Ruby" Port wine, bought by me in the open market, and certify that I found the same absolutely pure and well aged. This wine is especially recommended for its health-restoring and building up properties; it strengthens the weak and restores lost vitality; particularly adapted for convalescents, the aged, nursing mothers and those reduced and weakened by over-work and worry. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby," \$1 per quart bottles, pints 60 cts. Sold by A. S. McGowan.

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A "Stunner" for this week.

We have just received twenty-five pieces of Plain and Fancy Scotch Suitings, that to sell quickly, we will offer at the unprecedented price of

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Mr. Koeppen has been solicited by a good many persons to take charge of the graves at the cemetery. If he can get sufficient notices to justify him, he has decided to comply with their desire.

Please send in your names as soon as possible, or . . . Telephone 195.

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The mother who buys a splendidly made 50c Waist for . . . 25c
The Dude—that nondescript between a pair of shears and a jumping jack—who buys a nobby Cheviot Suit for \$10, that others sell for . . . \$15.00
The boys who buy that Indigo-blue—all-wool—Scotch Suit for . . . \$7.00

MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN

Who work for a living, and don't hug delusions, always find Blair Bros. to advertise genuine bargains and genuine goods.

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They are here to stay!
They are Old Missouri residents!
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They are 200 years in advance of ordinary clothiers!

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Bring the Advertised List, and ask them to show the goods.

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Blair Bros. ring the curtain . . . in the clothing trade.

GO TO BLAIR BROS.

Sedalia Democrat.

WEATHER REPORT

For the 24 Hours, Ending at 2 O'clock This Afternoon by C. G. Taylor.

Wind	Cloudiness	Temperature	Precipitation
in tenths.	in tenths.	Max. Min.	in inches.
S 2	2	Max. 90.2 Min. 67.2	0.00
Barometer, 28.75.			

LAND VALUES ALONE

A Perplexing Question Discussed.

SINGLE TAX PHILOSOPHY.

State Lecturer Elmer E. Willey Calls the Single Tax a Scientific System.

Mr. Elmer E. Willey, state lecturer of the Missouri Single Tax association, is in the city and will lecture at the court house this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Willey in an interview with a DEMOCRAT representative expressed himself substantially as follows:

Of all reforms of the age the single tax is perhaps championed by the most thoughtful, conservative men. All admit that the question of taxation is wholly unsettled, and, besides, it is not likely to be settled soon. In attempting to adjust taxation, governments have gone down, and in the United States the principle battle field between political parties, at least in recent years has been taxation in some form, either direct or indirect. The last presidential campaign had as its central issue this question and the unrest and discontent of the people of the entire country is largely caused by the failure of the present congress to handle the tariff. No matter what our opinions may be these are facts which all admit. This being true, any system of taxation must command general interest, and especially if the proposed system claims to be able to raise the revenues needed without unduly burdening anyone or allowing anyone to escape his just share.

This is what the single tax men claim for that thing. The purpose of which is to remove all taxes direct and indirect from the results of industry and lay all taxes on land values, exclusive of improvements. They hold that in a state of civilization government is a necessity and that land values is the natural, the scientific provision for the revenues required. Government is simply the association of the people of a country in obedience to natural law and when we speak of expenses of government we mean merely the expenses of maturing social relations. Taxation is for the purpose of meeting this commercial expense. Now if there is anything which the community produces and which the individual does not produce, it seems only just to take the value produced by the whole community to pay community expenses and thus leave the products of individual industry free.

Land values are always the result of the pressure and industry of the whole community. Therefore the single tax proposes to take this value out in the form of a tax to pay the expenses of the whole community. Every man in this city and all that pass through it, whether rich or poor, help in some way to make the values of the lands. Under our present system their values go into the hands of individuals as private property, and in addition to this tax on the general industry of the whole community capital and labor must again be taxed for the support of government. Instead of allowing this unearned increment in lands to go into the pockets of men who after contribute but little to the community (the landlord is frequently a non-resident) the single tax would take it for public purposes and thus leave labor and capital free and, consequently, make them more remunerative.

Mr. Willey comes well recommended as a careful thinker and a student of political economy and should receive a good hearing.

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We don't think we can be president, but our ambition is to be in the lead as hustlers in the Real Estate business. Then you will be pleased, and we will have your trade always. When you want to sell or buy, see us. We make a specialty of Rentals and Collections.

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(W. E. Steele, Notary Public.)

Our Great Cut-Price Sale

This week will be something to remember. It opens tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock with a

VAST AND BRILLIANT ARRAY

of goods which we have marked at prices that will scatter them like a cyclone. Read prices carefully; you will find everything just as advertised.

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| 7½c—An immense line of Batistes suitable for shirt waists, others sell at 10c, our sale price 7½c a yard. | 12½c—Six pieces half-wool Challies, in light shades only, worth 20c, sale price 12½c a yard. |
| 5c—Thirty-six dozen Ladies' Ribbed Vests, worth 8½c, special price during this sale 5c. | 32c—China Silks, in new designs and colorings, worth 50c; clearing price 32c a yard. |
| 15c—Ladies' Black Silk Mitts worth 25c now 15c; finer grade mitts 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c a pair. | 98c—Thirty-six pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth \$1.25 for 98c a pair; finer grade curtains \$1.48, \$2.50, \$3.25 and upwards. |
| 32c—Five pieces fancy border Table Linens, worth 45c, sale price 32c. | 68c—Good size Counterpanes worth \$1 now 68c; finer grade Counterpanes 98c, \$1.50, \$1.95 and upwards. |
| 5c—Large size Linen Fringed Napkins, 5 Cents Each. | \$1.50—Ladies' Gloria Silk Umbrellas with natural wood and oxydized handles, sale price \$1.50. |

For further particulars of our Great Clearing Sale, see our page “Ad.” in Gazette.

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PERSONAL.

Wilson & Ittel, fashionable tailors.

J. F. Howe, a prominent citizen of Ionia, is in the city today.

Miss Julia Mitchell, of Orchard View, is visiting Sedalia friends.

Mrs. J. R. Quarles and little daughter, of Boonville, are visiting Judge and Mrs. H. C. Levens.

Mrs. J. J. Reilly and two children are home from an enjoyable visit with friends in Kansas City.

Fred S. Barde, city editor of the Gazette, his host of friends will be glad to learn, is much improved today.

Mrs. Al Harrison returned from a pleasant visit to friends at Sedalia yesterday afternoon.—Warrensburg Star.

Mrs. H. F. Sarmen and family, of Jefferson City, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ahrens, on West Fourth street.

Mrs. Dexheimer and daughter Mattie left last night for Clinton to spend a few days visiting Mrs. Dexheimer's brother, Mr. E. C. Neighbors.

Mrs. Carrie Morrison, who has been visiting Mrs. Eugene Coney,

on West Seventh street for the past fortnight, has returned to her home in Warrensburg.

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Sherman and Dallas, Texas, on a two weeks visit, and from there will go to Eureka, Kansas, to visit her sister, Mrs. Gregg.

George Mahy and wife, who have been the guests of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mertz, for several days, left last evening for their home at Scranton, Pa., accompanied by Miss Mary Mertz, who will spend the summer with them.

Max Hilson, of New York, manufacturer of that popular Hoffman House brand of cigars, accompanied by his bride, arrived in the city on Monday, and the happy couple were the guests on that day of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wolfe, corner Sixth street and Lamine avenue.

J. D. Crawford, Jr., a nephew of Col. J. D. Crawford, who has been attending Central Business college, left today for his home at Steamboat Springs, Colo. His many friends in Sedalia will be pleased to learn that he intends to return to the Queen City in the autumn.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Cases Disposed of at This Morning's Session.

J. F. McAninch, et al., vs Missouri Pacific Railway company; defendant files amended answer.

State of Missouri vs Pettis County Investment company; defendant files motion to dismiss.

Bernard Mense vs E. W. Shultz; by leave defendant amends answer by interlocation and plaintiff refiles his motion to strike out which is heard and overruled; cause taken up and jury waived.

Adam Fischer vs John Kaiser; Reid Bros. Packing company file motion for order on receiver to pay its claim.

Mary E. Murray vs Singer Manufacturing company; defendant files notice of appeal.

Lizzie Cooper vs Lloyd Cooper; interlocutory judgment by default and continued.

Joseph A. Baker vs Joseph W. Steele; continued generally by consent.

Jennie Lee Falkner vs Frank Marion Falkner; interlocutory judgment by default and continued.

Change of Location.

Henry Leist is moving his stock from his old location to No. 107 West Main, the old Smith hall building.

A NEW ORDER.

The “Royal Tribe of Joseph” Makes Application for Incorporation.

Application was made in the circuit court today for the incorporation of a new secret society, called the Royal Tribe of Joseph. The petitioners are Phil E. Chappel, supreme patriarch; E. C. Mason, supreme scribe; and J. E. Ritchey, supreme treasurer.

The objects of the society are fraternal and beneficiary. Among the charter members are John N. Dalby, H. G. Clark, Dr. Ira T. Bronson, J. E. Ritchey, B. H. Ingram, E. C. Mason, Phil E. Chappel, R. S. C. Reaugh, Aug. T. Fleischmann, Stephen Pirkey, W. H. Black and E. E. Durand.

Prompt Settlement.

To the Prudential Insurance Co., Sedalia, Mo.

Gentlemen: We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the prompt and immediate payment of claim on life of our lamented child who died May 15th, 1894.

We shall always recommend your company to any person seeking insurance, as the most prompt and fair dealing institution in the States, as our money was handed to us within three hours after notifying Asst. Supt. Z. T. Miller, to whom we also express our sincere gratitude for his courtesy in settling our claim.

Wishing you ever success, we remain,

Yours truly,
MR. AND MRS. JOHN RILEY,
1611 East Fourth St.

BASE BALL.

Games played in the National league yesterday resulted as follows:

At CLEVELAND	1
Cleveland.....	7
St. Louis.....	0
At PITTSBURG	2
Pittsburg.....	2
Chicago.....	6
At PHILADELPHIA	10
Philadelphia.....	4
New York.....	10
At BROOKLYN	16
Brooklyn.....	7
Washington.....	7
No game at Cincinnati.	

Musical.

SEDALIA LODGE, No. 238, A. F. and A. M., will meet in called communication tomorrow, Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Work in the M. M. degree. Visiting brethren are fraternally invited. By order of
WM. LATOUR, W. M.
C. L. TAYLOR, Sec'y.

J. D. HAIL DRY GOODS CO.

Wash Goods.

The price-making in this store is generally right. Reduction sales sometimes meet them, but not always. Compare lists.

Printed India Linen, 10c.
Shongtong Pongee, 12 1-2c.
Tela-Vela Ducks, 12 1-2c.
Extra quality Satteens, 10c.
Erench Satteens, (worth 40c), 22c.
Dark ground India Lawns, 10c.

Dimity—40 styles—12 1 2c
Imported Dimity, 20c.
Batiste, (value 20c), 12 1-2c.
Keochlen's French Organdies, 25c.

Best Domestic Zephyr Gingham, 10c.

Handsome styles in Knot Suisse—French—(value 25c) 15c.

Halt Wool Challies, 15c.

Best Imported Challies, dark grounds, 48c.

Dragon-Black Satin Organdies, white figures, (worth 25c) 18c.

And an innumerable company of others. Type talk can but hint. It can't show you a store's stock. If our regular every day prices are in any instance lower, and in none higher than the special price sales of other houses, then the saving is yours, isn't it?

(Signed)

J. D. HAIL DRY GOODS CO.

County Sheriff.

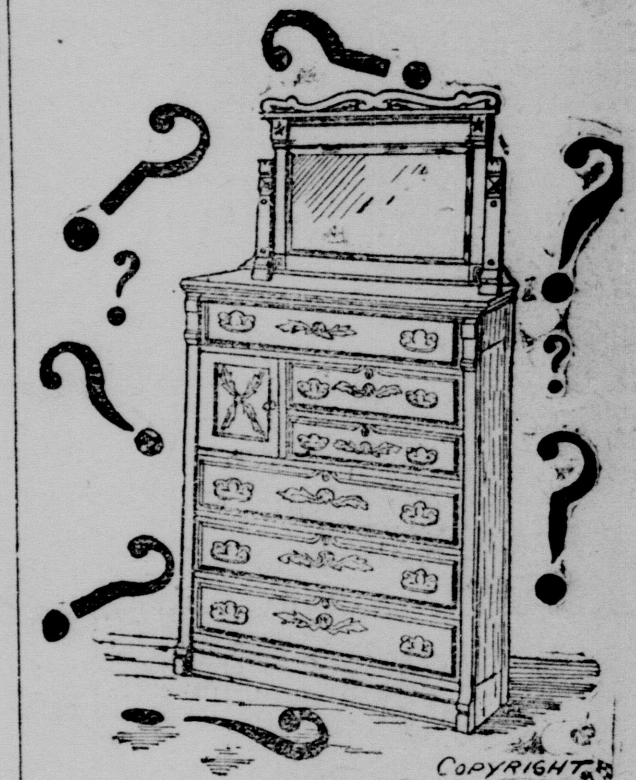
WE are authorized to announce W. H. MASON, of Washington township, a candidate for sheriff of Pettis county, subject to the democratic primary.

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We are again prepared to make loans of from one to five years on good farm securities, and at rates no higher than before the financial troubles. MOREY & CRAWFORD.

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Can be easily settled by calling on McLAUGHLIN BROS. Our goods are of the finest material, constructed in the most artistic and substantial manner; bolted, screwed or strongly glued wherever joints occur, and made for beauty too, as well as daily wear and tear.

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Undertakers: This department is the most complete in the west. Night clerk at store.

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513, 515 and 517 Ohio St.

The State Medical Association.

Dr. W. H. Evans, of this city, is presiding over the thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Missouri Medical association, which is now in session at Lebanon. His response to the address of welcome by Hon. W. I. Wallace, the gifted orator whom many Sedalians will remember, is said to have been a most happy effort.

Wanted.

An active agent in each county in the United States, to solicit subscriptions for the Twice-a-Week Republic. A liberal commission will be paid to hustlers. Address, Superintendent of Circulation, THE REPUBLIC, St. Louis, Mo.

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In addition to our great suit sale, we offer our entire stock of

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At prices 25 pr. ct. less than competition.
1 case Balbriggan 50c Underwear for 25c.
1 case extra fine 75c Underwear for 48c.
1 case French Balbriggan \$1 Underwear for 50c.

25 DOZ. Mackinaw \$1 Straw Hats this week for 50c.

40 doz. Straw Hats for Boys, worth 75c and \$1, this week for . . . 25 cts.